

BESSIE ABBOTT HOWLAND, STAR OF 'Mlle. Modiste', WAS LUCKY IN IMPORTING GOWNS FROM FASHION CENTER



Cast of "Mlle. Modiste" Company, flashlited on the stage at opera house prior to a dress rehearsal.

If the audience that greeted "Mlle. Modiste" on the first night of the opera was skeptical at the rise of the curtain, its doubts were quickly banished by the opening chorus, and then as the play advanced it became interested and when the finale had been sung and the last notes of the orchestra had been played Victor Herbert's opera was pronounced among the most successful amateur productions ever given in Honolulu.

Every feminine member of the audience admired the gowns worn by Bessie Abbott Howland in the second and third acts, but not one knew that they have a history. They were ordered by the prima donna and came over to New York on the last ship leaving Paris before war was declared. Mrs. Howland says that she is very proud of her Parisienne gowns, and prides them highly as she knows they are the last costumes she will have from the former fashion center of the world for a long time.

Tonight's performance will begin at 8:15 at the opera house, and tickets for the entertainment may be purchased at the Hawaii Promotion Committee.

Personal Mentions

W. A. LOVE is reported as numbered with the returning passengers from the coast in the Matson steamer Manoa.

A. M. NOWELL, who has been to the mainland for the Sugar Factors, is expected to return to Honolulu next Tuesday with the arrival of the Matson steamer Manoa.

C. VON HAMM is numbered with the list of passengers to depart from San Francisco for Honolulu in the Oceania steamer Sonoma, due at this port Monday morning.

MR. and MRS. F. C. ATHERTON, who have been spending some months on a mainland trip, are expected to return to this city as passengers in the Matson steamer Manoa due here next Tuesday.

LITTLE INTERVIEWS

E. FAXON DIBBOP: Before I went away last summer I gave an interview in which I said I was for Rice, but that I would abide by the vote of the primary. Now that the people have nominated a ticket, I believe in supporting it.

F. L. WALDRON: I will vote for the Republican delegate, whoever he is, because I believe it is good policy, but I have never considered that party politics should enter into local affairs. Still, where two men on opposite sides appear to be evenly matched, I would give the benefit to the Republican.

W. O. SMITH: I believe in the straight ticket under the circumstances. Under a popular form of government I believe in party organization, and believe in the straight ticket unless the party goes radically wrong. Further, I believe that we should make the vote as strong as possible this year.

According to mail advices which have been received by his friends here, Capt. Carl Isenberg, now commanding a troop of German dragoons on the Russian frontier, has been decorated by the Kaiser with the highest military award, the Order of the Iron Cross. The fact that Capt. Isenberg recently accomplished a difficult patrol ride is thought to be the motive for the decoration.

MATERIAL ADVANCE IN SUGAR BUT NOT IMMEDIATELY, IS FORECAST

Willatt & Gray's Latest Comments on Trade Situation Are Encouraging

No immediate prospect for higher sugar prices, but every reason to believe that within a comparatively short time the figures will advance materially, is the way in which Willatt & Gray's Sugar Trade Journal of October 15 sums up the situation. The journal says:

As supply and demand govern prices, and present supply is fairly large and demand small, there seems little reason to expect immediately any material improvement in the raw sugar market, while there is reason to expect further decline in refined.

There are some inducements certainly at present basis of value to wait a little longer for a better market.

There is this to say about war, it has its surprises and uncertainties, and changes the condition of things frequently. From present sugar conditions of abundant supplies and small demand, there is in the distance a probability of small supplies for large demand.

The imports of sugar into Great Britain for the year September 1, 1913, to August 31, 1914, consisted of 410,641 tons of cane sugar, and 1,357,975 tons of beet sugar.

The previous year the imports were 369,201 tons of cane sugar and 1,506,611 tons of beet sugar and for the preceding year 1911-12, when the European beet crops were some 2,000,000 tons short, the imports were 317,695 tons cane and 367,290 tons beet sugar.

The imports are virtually the same as consumption. During the last year the shortage of beet supplies to Great Britain and the necessity of reaching out for largely increased supplies of cane sugar caused a rise of from 12 to 1 1/2 cents per pound for sugar in Great Britain, the United States and generally throughout the world.

That year Great received 367,290 tons of beet sugar. Had there been no beet sugar available what might have been the price of sugar there and here?

This is just the position which confronts Great Britain and the United States during the present sugar campaign year to October 1, 1915.

The entire crops of Europe, with exception of Russia, are completely bottled up by the war, as far as supplying Great Britain is concerned, and with a reduced import to that of the short crop year it will be necessary for Great Britain to obtain an almost entire supply of cane sugar of say 1,685,000 tons, an estimated fall-short in imports of about 300,000 tons from 1912-13. The fall-short will probably be larger than this by reason of inadequate available supplies and consequent higher range of values.

Of this required amount Great Britain has already secured some 1,000,000 tons cane sugar, requiring to complete the campaign year, say 685,000 to 785,000 tons more.

Java sent 212,000 tons forward to the United Kingdom in September, out of the 500,000 tons bought. If not intercepted by German cruisers in the Indian ocean it should reach Great Britain next month for immediate use. Mauritius also supplies for shipment to United Kingdom, 100,000 tons, December 60,000 tons and Cuba, out of the new crop, January-March delivery, 200,250,000 tons. If nothing and nobody interferes with these sugars in passage Great Britain is well supplied already for say seven months to April 1, 1915, at the rate of 140,000 tons per month.

On the necessity of United Kingdom

supplies rests largely the price of sugar to the United States consumer after next April. The United States during past few years did not import and does not need any beet sugar from Europe, provided its free and preferential supply sources are not lessened by the buying of Great Britain and other foreign countries more largely than usual.

It does not seem to us that if the question of supplies to demand is handled as intelligently by Great Britain as it has already done, that there need be any very extraordinary rise in sugar prices for this campaign.

The tendency will naturally be upward to some extent from the opening prices of the Cuba crop, as the pressure to sell diminishes.

Germany and Austria-Hungary are now harvesting their beet crops, having impressed into the service, according to some reports, Russian, Belgian and British prisoners, most of whom are quite familiar with beet field work. These crops are estimated by F. O. Licht this week, as given herewith, at 4,375,000 tons together, against 4,428,000 tons last year. Inasmuch as exports from these countries were stopped after August 1st, there remained in stock there some 327,105 tons, as stated by us on October 8th.

The stock on hand, and the crops now harvesting, comprise an immense amount of sugar to be warehoused, and financed under war conditions. If it is to be kept undistributed until the end of the war, if it can be financed and thus kept for home consumption throughout the war period, there will be no need of sowing beet seed next spring, and grain crops will be substituted for sugar crops (that is another question of interest sometime hence).

The present status of Great Britain is that she will not accept sugars of any country at war with her, either directly or through neutral countries. (See British proclamation herewith.) Hence, if German or Austria-Hungarian sugar could come to the United States, they could not be refined here and exported to Great Britain without a change in the present situation.

That German and Austrian manufacturers believing the embargo will soon be removed would willingly part with a considerable quantity of their sugars to the United States is evident from the fact that offers to sell have already been made, not only by mail, but by duly accredited representatives of the factories, associations and banks.

The difficulties in the way of making sales are considerable at the present time, and without the full assent of Great Britain remain so indefinitely. Furthermore, as the sugar must pay the full duty of 1.25c per pound on 96 raws and 1.35c per pound on refined, there is not at the present basis of values here sufficient inducement offered in prices named to warrant importation by Americans.

Hence for the present at least we dismiss all expectations of imports of beet sugar into the United States to affect the conditions as they exist in relation to cane sugars.

We, of course, in these conclusions accept the now general belief that the war is to continue over the summer of 1915 as the shortest limit.

While at one time it looked as if there would be considerable difficulty and danger in shipping sugars from Java to England, owing to the activity of German cruisers in the Indian ocean, these cruisers taking advantage of the absence of British cruisers, apparently being used to convoy transports of Indian troops to Europe, it now appears that this impediment to shipping has been largely removed, as

'MISTRESS MARY' TICKET PLAN IS NOW ARRANGED

Those persons now holding tickets for "Mistress Mary" may exchange them for reserved seat tickets at the rooms of the Hawaiian Promotion Committee, where seats will be on sale:

Saturday, Oct. 31, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.
Monday, Nov. 2, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Tuesday, November 3, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Wednesday, Nov. 4, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
After 7 p. m. on Tuesday and Wednesday at the Opera House.

Curtain rises for evening performances of the opera at 8:15 sharp. Matinee at 3 o'clock sharp.

Arrangements have been completed for a performance of "Mistress Mary" at Schofield Barracks next Saturday night. A special train will carry the big troupe of talented amateurs to the army post, the performance being given in the infantry amusement hall, beginning at 7:30 o'clock sharp.

will be noted by our regular Java cable received yesterday.

This cable reports actual shipments of Java to the United Kingdom during September of 189,000 tons, with 23,000 tons additional that have American as well as European options.

The shipments to the Far East are 121,000 tons, making the total exports during September the large figure of 333,000 tons, against last year's total exports for September 155,000 tons.

Our previous advices regarding the Java crop were that, unless weather improved, the crop estimate would have to be reduced. The weather apparently not improving sufficiently, the crop is reduced 70,000 tons to 1,280,000 tons, against 1,345,000 tons last year.

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A petition for a probate of will in the matter of the estate of Victor Fagerous, deceased, has been filed in the circuit court by the law firm of Thompson, Wilder, Milverton and Lymer for the Trent Trust Company. The estate consists principally of real estate valued at approximately \$4000.

CRACK AIRMEN OF JAPAN WILL EXHIBIT SKILL

Aviators to Fly Big Curtiss Tractor at Moanalua Field Next Saturday

Announcement was made by A. K. Ozawa this morning that definite arrangements have been concluded for an aviation exhibition at Moanalua polo field next Saturday, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m.

Aviators F. Samura and T. Inouye, both of whom are holders of international licenses and have been flying much on the mainland recently, are here with a big Curtiss tractor of 80 horse-power. One or both of them will fly next Saturday. They will circle both toward the mountains and the sea, and in view of the noted Bud Mars' difficulty in negotiating the curves on account of the fitful gusts of wind over this field followers of aviation will be interested in seeing what the Japanese airmen can do.

Samura and Inouye may go on to Japan after their exhibition here, but they expect to return to San Francisco for a series of flights during the exposition.



S. Nabayan, an employee of Dr. Straub, is being held at central police station at the instance of Captain of Detectives McDuffie, who alleges that the Filipino is guilty of burglary. The charge is brought that during the absence of his employer, Nabayan entered the office, broke open several drawers and took \$50, an automatic revolver and an electric searchlight.

A. G. Wilson, riding a motorcycle along King street, near its intersection with South street, last evening is alleged to have been run down by automobile 1719, in which Dr. William Henry Fry was seated at the wheel. Wilson has complained to the police that while he kept to the right-hand side of the road the automobile turned sharply into South street, resulting in much damage being done to the motorcycle. Wilson is said to have escaped with a few slight bruises.

SUGAR SHIPMENTS TO PRESENT DATE

Of 503,935 tons of sugar shipped to date by the Sugar Factors' Co., 497,239 tons have arrived at market. The only cargoes afloat, E. F. Melanphy stated this morning, are those of the bark Annie Johnson, which sailed from Mahukona on Oct. 23, and the American-Hawaiian steamer Virginian, from Hilo the same day—the former for San Francisco and the latter for Delaware Breakwater via San Francisco and Panama.

DAILY REMINDERS

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With a number of passengers and a later mail from the mainland, the Oceania steamer Sonoma is due at the port on Monday morning. C. Brewer may despatch the vessel for Australia about 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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